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Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 26, 2004, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The listed documents were cited in an Office Action of a corresponding

Japanese application. The Examiner might find these documents relevant for the reasons

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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the

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